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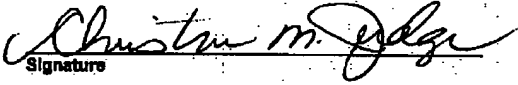
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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

In response to the office action mailed June 7, 2005, kindly amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims appear in the complete listing of claims which beings on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 10 of this paper.